

revenue coming in. The data available for calculation of the tax could at best be inaccurate. There would also be much scope for oppression of the people by the subordinate executive. Rather than levy an Income Tax, it was better to impose an Export Duty in view of the rise in the price of food stuffs.

The sense of the Assembly having been taken by calling for votes by a show of hands, 43 voted for the measure and 81 against it.

Reply of Government.—The tax will not be levied and the subject not taken up for discussion for another year.

Withdrawn.

SUBJECT NO. 167.

Export Duty.

Mr. S. R. Balakrishna Rao, Shimoga municipality.

SUBJECT NO. 168.

The State Life Insurance System.

(1) Messrs. N. Subba Rao and Mylarappa, Nagar taluk, Rama Rao, Sorab taluk, Rajagopalaiengar, Chikballapur taluk, Gori Rajanna and Brainhappa, Goribidnur taluk, Kodandarama Setti and Channabasavaiya, Tumkur taluk, and Sidde Gowda, Channapatna taluk.

(2) Mr. S. R. Balakrishna Rao, Shimoga municipality.

Summary of discussion.—(1) The benefit of the State Life Insurance Scheme may be extended to the non-official subjects of His Highness the Maharaja, including patels and shanbhogs as people have no confidence in private companies.

(2) Information may kindly be furnished if definite orders have been passed for extending the scope of the State Life Insurance System to the non-official subjects of the State.

Reply of Government.—Under the consideration of Government.

SUBJECT NO. 169.

Age limit for the State Life Insurance.

Mr. B. Alasingra Char, Hassan taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Under the existing rules of the Mysore State Life Insurance, officers and officials cannot insure their lives after attaining 45 years of age. As many of the poor officials may get promotions after that age, they are precluded from the benefit of the first or further insurance. In order to obviate this difficulty, it is prayed that the age limit may kindly be raised to 50 years.

Reply of Government.—Will be referred to the Insurance Committee.

Withdrawn.

SUBJECT NO. 170.

Proceedings of the Retrenchment Committee.

Messrs. Chik Ramanna and Girmaji Rao, Kolar taluk.

SUBJECT NO. 171.

Impressed stamp papers for writing hundis.

Messrs. Kotturiah and Singri Nanjappa, Tiptur taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Impressed stamp papers for writing hundis may, as in the Bombay and Madras Presidencies be manufactured and issued.

Reply of Government.—Under consideration.